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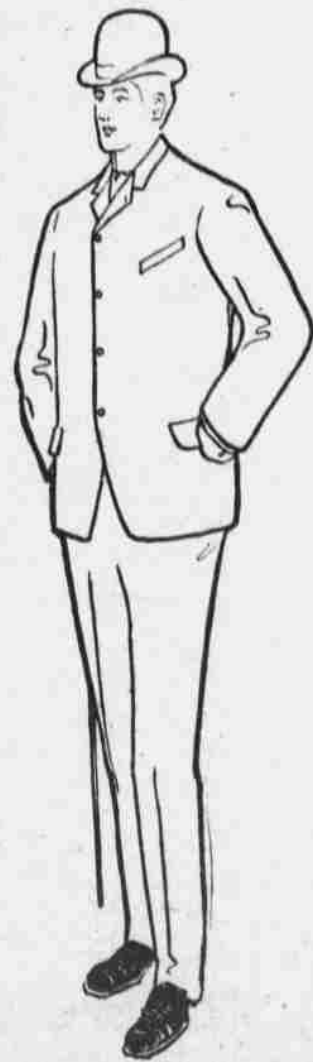
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TWENTIETH CENTURY



ST. LOUIS DELEGATES ARRESTED BY WHOLESALE

J. K. Murrell Turns State's Evidence and Involves Eighteen Confederates---Warrants Followed Quickly.

Murrell Will Be Exonerated for Confession---Says He Was Made a Cat's Paw---Bail Fixed at \$30,000---No Chance of Escape for the Boodlers---All Are Under Close Surveillance.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 8.—A sensation was caused here today by the issuance of bench warrants for the arrest of 18 members and former members of the St. Louis House of Delegates following the confession by Delegate J. K. Murrell, who fled to Mexico last spring, after being indicted by the grand jury for bribery in connection with the alleged boodling operation in granting of franchises to the Suburban Street Railway and other legislation. His confession, which is most direct, involves eighteen prominent men, who have been connected with the grand jury and the issuing of the warrants followed quickly afterwards.

Murrell is now in custody of Circuit Attorney Folk and will, it is stated, be granted immunity from punishment for turning state's evidence. In his confession Murrell says: "I could no longer stand the agony I endured as a fugitive from justice and the wrong done by the parties

just as guilty as I, who made me their cat's paw."

The warrants were served on Messrs. E. E. Murrell, Schnetter, Albright, Robertson, Helms, Gutke, Faulkner, Schumaker and Hannigan.

Albright and Faulkner were released on bonds of \$30,000 each. The others that were arrested were allowed to go to their homes in custody of deputy sheriffs who will remain with them until they shall have furnished a surety for their appearance in court.

With the exception of William Tamblin, who is said to be in Cleveland, all of the indicted men are believed to be in this city.

Delegate Kelly telephoned to the district attorney this evening that he would surrender tomorrow and give bonds.

The police are watching every possible avenue of escape from the city and it would be difficult for any of the indicted men to escape.

Charles J. Kratz, a member of the council, who was indicted for bribery in connection with the suburban deal and who escaped to Mexico at the time Murrell went there, has not returned.

DON'T LIKE YANKEES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—The Paiz has published a vigorously worded article against the government policy in the Acre question, cables the Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, correspondent of the Herald.

The newspaper blames the government for having submitted to encroachment by the Anglo-Saxon syndicate.

"This capitulation," continues the Paiz, "opens to Yankee ambition the door which should be defended in the interest of our peace, our rights and our fortune."

The newspaper declares that President Campos-Salles has transformed Brazil into an American colony.

The Jornal de Commercio prints a dispatch from Buenos Ayres saying that President Roca, of Argentine, declares that no decision has been reached by his government with reference to Argentine mediation in the Acre question.

WYOMING FIRES

LARAMIE, Wyo., Sept. 8.—Parties just in from the Rambler mine report a big forest fire just south of Holmes, in the district the mine is located. It is burning in the timber five or six miles south of the mine, and Thursday destroyed the property of the White Swan Mining Company. The loss in buildings, etc., cannot now be stated.

Yesterday the fire was still raging in the timber and was threatening property in the Keystone district. So great did the danger become that a messenger was sent to Holmes for help, force of men from the smelter there were sent down. At the time the fire, fanned by a strong wind, was rapidly running east.

SERIOUS GALES OFF YUKON.

SEATTLE, Sept. 8.—Considerable damage was done by storm which has raged off the mouth of the Yukon August 22 and 23. The tow boat Will H. Isom had started up the river with three big barges loaded with merchandise. She was caught in the storm before entering the Yukon. She was driven ashore and the barges were blown out to sea. Two of the barges' pilots were taken off but the other went out with his barge into the Behring sea. The tug Meteor recovered two of the barges including the one carrying the pilot.

POSTMASTER JAILED.

BOISE, Ida., Sept. 8.—In the United States district court today Louis S. Despotel pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling the government cut of funds while postmaster at Bridge, Cassia county. He stole \$250 and escaped to Utah where he was apprehended. Judge Beatty sent him to the government prison at McNeill Island for 18 months.

WILL RACE IN ENGLAND.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A careful grand performance in the Flatbush stakes Saturday at Sheepshead has, according to the World, settled the matter of his shipment to England for next year's derby. The horse is owned by Whitney and Duryea and by John E. Madden.

STILL FIGHTING.

MANILA, Sept. 8.—General Chaffee has ordered General Sumner, commanding the department of Mindanao, to lead a column against the Macin Moros. In his order General Chaffee suggests that eight companies of infantry, two troops of cavalry and one battery shall form at Camp Vicars, Island of Mindanao. It is expected that the column will move within a week. Most of the attacks upon the American forces have originated in the Macin country. This movement is to be directed against hostiles, several of whom are enumerated in General Chaffee's order. General Sumner is directed to require the hostiles to give a satisfactory pledge to refrain from aggression in the future. There are several Moro strongholds in the Macin country. It is not definitely known where the first opposition will be encountered. This will depend upon General Sumner's course after moving. General Sumner is instructed to protect the friendly natives.

ISLAND ENTIRELY CHANGED.

ST. VINCENT, via Kingston, Sept. 8.—The sights of the windward districts of this island resulting from the eruptions of Soufriere, September 3, are very interesting. Rabacca river is a stream of fire a quarter of a mile wide. The river bed is continuously throwing up dense clouds of steam, mud and pebbles. The land has spread farther southward and is changing the appearance of this district. A porte officer of Chateau Belaire, who saw from the sea yesterday, reports the mountain considerably lower than before September 3, and the appearance of the summit has changed.

BRITISH CABINET LOSES ANOTHER MEMBER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—There are already rumors of changes in Premier Balfour's ministry, says a London dispatch to the Tribune.

Lord George Hamilton, will not, it is stated, remain many weeks longer in the India office, and Lord Balfour, of Burleigh, is freely named as his successor. Lord Balfour is an astute Scotch peer. He has a good deal of administrative experience as English secretary for Scotland.

TOUSER CRANK PASSES AWAY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—By the death at Nauheim, of Panmure Gordon, the stock exchange has lost a most interesting personality, says a Herald dispatch from London. He was a great purveyor of successful tips to Mayfair tips which circulated like magic. He lived both his business and his social life at top pressure. He had a passion for trousers and when he went to America for a year he had one pair a day in his personal kit,

with over 200 pairs thrown in, and he was the only man who ever devoted an entire chapter in a serious travel book to the story of the loss and subsequent recovery of his favorite breeches. Besides an inordinate passion for clothes—his wardrobe when it perished in a fire at his country place a few years ago is said to have included 1100 neckties and 50 new sticks and umbrellas—he had a craze for collecting all sorts of carriages. His coach house was thus a universal exhibition of the modern traveling and pleasure carriages. On his fishing and shooting tours in Scotland he frequently made use of a caravan, parts of which were an elaborate dining car and a kitchen on wheels.

AUTOMOBILE CLIMB.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A 10-kilometre (six and a quarter miles) hill climbing contest for automobiles has been won, according to the Herald's Semmering, Austria, correspondent, by Clarence G. Dinsmore's 40-horse power machine. The time was 19 minutes 37 seconds.

Semmering is in a locality that affords ample opportunity for testing the hill climbing abilities of an automobile. It is close to the boundary between Austria and Syria, and the mountains known as the Semmering range are a spur of the Styrian Alps. One of the most interesting mountain railroads in Europe runs from Cloggnitz to Bruck, passing through Semmering, which is a favorite summer resort with Austrians.

LIPTON WILL CHALLENGE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Members of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club, through which Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America's Cup will be transmitted, are in a state of expectation, for Sir Thomas has not yet communicated with the club in any way in regard to the challenge, cables the London correspondent of the Tribune. One of the officials of the club is quoted as having said there is good reason to think that Sir Thomas will send a challenge this month.

GOLFER MAKES RECORD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Marion Wright, a Philadelphia golfer, has made a new record in drives, says a Newport, R. I., dispatch to the Herald. He succeeded in driving a ball from the Newport Reading room to the Newport Golf Club, a distance of three and four-fifths miles, in 38 strokes.

MOORS IN REBELLION.

MADRID, Sept. 8.—Reports from Tanier, Morocco, described the situation as serious. Barbers have risen against the Sultan and have made an attack on the Jewish quarter of Meknes. The gates of the city have been closed and seven thousand troops have been sent there from Fez to quell the insurrection.

BACK TO NEW ZEALAND.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Richard Seddon, premier of New Zealand, has brought his English visit to a close, cables the London correspondent of the Tribune. He will leave London today for Plymouth, where he will embark for home.

CAVE IN AT WALLACE, IDAHO.

WALLACE, Idaho, Sept. 8.—A cave in at Prospect Tunnel, below Wardner, today caught C. A. Hayes and his 4-year-old boy. The boy will probably die; Hayes had his leg broken.

EVERETT BOY DROWNED.

EVERETT, Wash., Sept. 8.—The body of Mate Smith, 9 years old, son of August Smith, was found in the Snohomish river. The boy disappeared from his home on July 20.

MAINE STANDS FAST ---REPUBLICANS WIN

Telegraph Good News to President Roosevelt and Stick to His Policy.

PLURALITY OF FULLY 25,000

Legislature, Although Strongly Republican, Will Have Uncommon Number of Democratic Members.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 8.—Maine rolled up a big off year plurality for Republicans today, it approximating 27,000 in comparison with 25,000 for the average of other years.

The legislature, while strongly Republican, will have an uncommon number of Democratic members, some of the strongest Republican towns of the state having elected representatives of that party. The senate will have one Democrat.

In the first congressional district Congressman Amos L. Allen, Republican, was re-elected with a plurality of about 5500. In the fourth district Congressman Powers, Republican, has been re-elected by a plurality of 7000. In the third district Congressman B. C. Burleigh, Republican, got the Prohibitionist vote and ran slightly ahead of the ticket. In the second district Congressman Littlefield had no difficulty in defeating the Democratic opponent.

REPUBLICANS WIN.

State of Maine Backs President Roosevelt.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 8.—Chairman Simpson, of the state committee, tonight sent a message to president Roosevelt, saying:

"Maine has gone Republican as it once went for Governor Kent. We have carried the state by a plurality of 25,000. We have elected the entire delegation to congress by a large majority, and have chosen every senator with one exception, and about four-fifths of the legislature. The Pine Tree state endorses your administration with no uncertain voice."

A message of like import was sent to Senator Hanna, saying: "Maine has shown her appreciation of the Republican policies which have given to our country prosperity unequalled in the history of the world."

MILITARY BALLOON BURSTS.

ROME, Sept. 8.—During maneuvers near Turin today a military balloon burst and sixteen soldiers were badly injured.

BASEBALL

NORTHWEST LEAGUE.

At Seattle—Portland, 4; Seattle, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 2; Chicago, 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 4; second game, Cincinnati, 7; Philadelphia, 1.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 1.

At New York—New York, 3; Pittsburgh, 1; second game, New York, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit—St. Louis, 8; Detroit, 4.
At Cleveland—Philadelphia, 6; Cleveland, 5.

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